

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

The financial gain Sinclair receives by using the public's airwaves for free should have to be countered with fair and just programming. Regardless of which candidate/issue they choose to do a so-called documentary on for them to force their subsidiaries to air the piece and preempt scheduled programming so close to an election is walking a fine line between providing a public service and being the propaganda command center.

As an American citizen I feel that it is my duty to confront this potentially dangerous decision by this organization before it becomes commonplace in the industry and we are forced to receive revisionist information that is edited and sold to us as "news".

Thank you for your time and consideration.  
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